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## Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

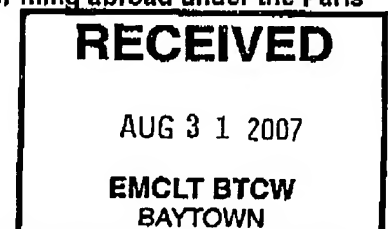
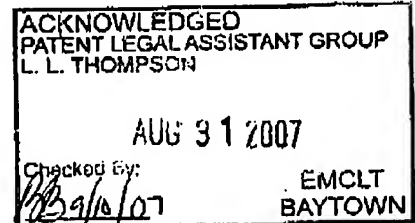
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Hydroformylation

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